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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Non-Final Office Action mailed November 2, 2005. The claims were rejected more than twice and accordingly, this Appeal is proper.

Applicants respectfully request that the fee of \$500 previously paid be applied herewith. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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